

Acknowledge Nevarėnai

We invite to visit and acknowledge Nevarėnai surroundings, to go for a walk in the Nevarėnai town's streets, to hear the history about the most famous historical personalities, foster manors, to see cultural heritage and to climb on the Paunšvystė hill and to feel the spirit of our ancestors.



For more information you can find:
<http://nevarėnuistorija.wixsite.com>

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Tours through the Nevarėnai surrounding

The secrets of Paunšvystė hill.

You will go for a walk through the hill's mythological paths. You will acknowledge with prehistorical times remembering ritual stones, you can climb to the highest point of the hill and you can hear about the legend about disappeared village in the stream.

Tučiai is the little part of Samogitia



You can come in Tučiai local historian's, ethnographer's Elena Mažeikienė and her daughter ethnographic homestead – museum. You can acknowledge with Lithuanian ancestors' life, their tools and ancient craft. Also you can visit legend wrapped little chapel park in the cemetery.

Cultural heritage in the Nevarėnai district

You will visit the Saint apostle Bartholomew church in Nerimdaičiai, Juozapavas manor park and the church in the park, Saint Virgin Mary Church in Mitkaičiai and the Crucified Jesus church in Nevarėnai. You will find out the main cultural value of these objects.



NEVARĖNAI BASIC SCHOOL

Native country is the home, that you can't forget...

DISCOVER FORGOTTEN PLACES ALL OVER AGAIN...



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1. The Jewish life traces in the interwar period in Nevarėnai

During the tour you will find out about the community of Jews that lived in the Nevarėnai town in the end of XIX century until the middle of XX century. You will be introduced



what activities they were engaged, what traditions and customs they had. **Possible educational activities:**

“The stone is the symbol of memory“. Jewish heritage: their traditional dances.

2. Juozapas Piekarskis was the most famous personality in the interwar Nevarėnai town.

You will hear the history of Juozapas Piekarskis, the most famous interwar personality in Nevarėnai. You will hear about his activities and about his active life in the town. You will be introduced with the place of the first chemist’s.



Educational activity: Tea is the green nature chemist’s.

3. The History of school in Nevarėnai town: from shelter school to the modern school



You will be introduced with the history of Nevarėnai school from the beginning of the 19th century until these days’ school. You will visit shelter school, “Paulauskai“ school, present school and educational village “Kėims kitap“. You will have possibility to participate in “live“ lesson in the school museum or in the creative activity in the educational village.

Educational activities: “Live“ lesson in the school museum. Creativity lesson in the village.

4. Nevarėnai town: from the legend until the XVI century.

You will be introduced with the legend of Nevarėnai town foundation. You will find out when and where the town was mentioned for the first time. You will visit sculptures’ park “The Legend“ and you will see the picture of the town foundation legend “Neva and Rėna“ in the church.



Educational activity: “Discover the Nevarėnai town wrapped in the legend“.

5. The Nevarėnai town people life and casualty in the interwar period



You can transfer yourself to the first Lithuanian Independence period in the Nevarėnai town. You will hear about interwar period’s the most famous personalities, the first institutions and people everyday life.

Educational activity: “Creative workshop: casting the candle from wax“

6. The cultural life in Nevarėnai town: from the beginning of XX century until current days

You will be introduced with the first rudiments of cultural life in the Nevarėnai town. You will hear when and where the first performances took part, where the first bookshop and libraries appeared and where stood the first culture house.

Creative activities in the contemporary culture center and library.

7. Nevarėnai in the times of Motiejus Valančius

You will acknowledge the Nevarėnai town in the period of the press prohibition. You will hear about Motiejus Valančius reflection in Nevarėnai, bookbinders’ activity, Lithuanian press distribution and the secret school establishment. Also, you will see the only one memorial in Lithuania dedicated for sobriety built in 1858 year. “Kauno gubernijoje arielkos nebgers“ (In Kaunas province the alcohol won’t be drunk any more).